

A2 of pieces of address information defined on the information network and a plurality of sequence numbers representing a predetermined output sequence specified by a user, and informing the address information corresponding to the current sequence number to the browser unit so that the output of information corresponding to the informed address information is instructed.--

Please AMEND the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 7, as follows:

A3 --This processing includes referring to a correspondence relationship between a plurality of pieces of address information defined on the information network and a plurality of sequence numbers representing a predetermined output sequence specified by a user, obtaining information using the address information corresponding to the current sequence number, and outputting the obtained information.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please AMEND the claims 1-14 in accordance with the following:

A4 1. (AS ONCE AMENDED) A slide show system comprising:
a browser unit to obtain information using address information defined on an information network, and to output the obtained information; and
a control unit to inform the address information to the browser unit according to a predetermined output sequence that is specified by a user, and to instruct output of information corresponding to the informed address information.

2. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 1, further comprising:
a storage unit to store a user-specified correspondence relationship between a plurality of pieces of address information and a plurality of sequence numbers representing the output sequence, wherein
the control unit refers to the correspondence relationship and determines address information to be informed to the browser unit.

Sub C173. 3. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 2, further

comprising:

an operation unit to allow the user to specify information to be outputted next, wherein the control unit informs address information corresponding to the specified information by the operation unit to the browser unit.

4. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 3, wherein the operation unit specifies one of the address information pieces before and after information currently being outputted as the information to be outputted next.

5. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 2, wherein the control unit informs the plurality of pieces of address information to the browser unit according to the output sequence.

6. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 5, wherein the control unit informs the plurality of pieces of address information to the browser unit at prescribed time intervals.

7. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 6 wherein the control unit changes the time intervals according to each of the plurality of sequence numbers.

8. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 1, further comprising:
a sound output unit to output sound information including at least one of music and a narration, wherein
the control unit instructs the sound output unit to output the sound information.

9. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 8, wherein the control unit determines sound information to be outputted according to a user-specified sequence number of the address information representing the output sequence.

Sub 10. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 1, wherein the browser unit obtains information via a communication network using address information informed by the control unit.

11. (AS ONCE AMENDED) The slide show system according to claim 1, further comprising:
a storage unit to store information to be outputted corresponding to address information, wherein
the browser unit obtains information which is stored in the storage unit using address information informed by the control unit.

12. (AS ONCE AMENDED) A computer-readable storage medium which stores a program for causing a computer to perform functions comprising:
referring to a correspondence relationship between a plurality of pieces of address information defined on an information network and a plurality of sequence numbers of a predetermined output sequence that is specified by a user; and
informing address information corresponding to a current sequence number to a browser, and instructing output of information corresponding to the thus-informed address information.

13. (AS ONCE AMENDED) A computer-readable storage medium which stores a program for causing a computer to perform functions comprising:
referring to a correspondence relationship between a plurality of pieces of address information defined on an information network and a plurality of sequence numbers of a predetermined output sequence that is specified by a user;
obtaining information using address information corresponding to a current sequence number; and
outputting the obtained information.

14. (AS ONCE AMENDED) A slide show method comprising:
preparing a correspondence relationship between a plurality of pieces of address information defined on an information network and a plurality of sequence numbers of a predetermined output sequence that is specified by a user;
obtaining address information corresponding to a current sequence number with reference to the correspondence relationship;
obtaining information using the address information corresponding to the current